

UNUSUAL PETS WANTED

Herman Boodman, camping specialist and naturalist for Torrance Recreation Department, is desperately in need of unusual pets, recreation officials stated.

These pets will be used for natural life attractions at Park and School playgrounds and will only be handled by Boodman himself who guarantees proper handling.

"If you have a pet you are willing to loan for a week, call FA. 8-4108," Boodman said.

Food Sale Continues At Clark's

The third great week of Clark's fourteenth annual Anniversary Sale is now in progress with a great new selection of dollar-saving values, Clark officials announced today.

The big sale will feature this week-end many items designed for eating out whether for a family July 4 picnic or a back yard barbeque. All departments at Clark Markets are participating to offer greater-than-ever values on hundreds of fine food items.

Of special interest for the children, four of the seven Clark markets will have a real live circus on the parking lots featuring Bobo, the clown and Suzy, the elephant as seen each Thursday on channel 5 television. For the time and place of the circus nearest to this community, see the 3-page Clark ad elsewhere in this paper.

LOCAL STORE GIVES AWAY FREE GIFTS

Exciting gifts and prizes are being offered this week at the Liberty Home Appliances store, 1326 Sartori, in downtown Torrance.

Children, accompanied by their parents, will receive free comic eye-glasses, as worn by Phil Silvers in his Sgt. Bilco role on television, while the adults will be given a free chance to win a beautiful new, 18 cubic foot Amana Stor-Mor Freezer plus Refrigerator.

The freezer-refrigerator combination features two giant doors that alone hold 120 lbs. of food; a butter keeper; egg compartment; desert bar; removable three quart beverage pitcher; big bottle storage space; four ice trays; five colorful containers; automatic defrosting and other conveniences.

This appliance will be given to one of the lucky people who will take the time to register in the contest book.

Health Foods Store Expands

The House of Health, specializing in health foods and natural juices, recently expanded their facilities when they moved to their new location at 1745 Border ave.

Previously located a few doors away, the Perrys, owners of the shop, built their present structure, and installed equipment with which to make their own natural vegetable juices. They also sell packaged herb teas, health foods, vitamins, grains and cereals.

At present, the House of Health is featuring a new product, called Vita-Bio-Powr. A few drops of this product tends to kill poisonous sprays on vegetables, retains vitamins, neutralizes acids and freshens up wilted vegetables.

In the very near future, the House of Health plans to open a juice bar, at which they will serve juices, salads, and other health foods.



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Rotarians To Install New Officers

The Dominguez-Carson Rotary club will hold their annual installation banquet at Vivian Laird's, Long Beach on June 28, at 7 p.m., according to President L. O. Griffiths.

The incoming president is Art Reeves; vice-president, Morgan Williams; secretary, Ted Brock; and treasurer, Don Brock.

District Governor John English will be the installing officer.

At this meeting awards will

be made to Ed Reeves Sr. for being the outstanding citizen of the year, and to Charlie Del Curto as outstanding Rotarian of the year.

Roberts Given Douglas Pin

Bud A. Roberts, 18014 Fay-smith ave., Torrance, has been presented with a gold pin commemorating 15 years service with Douglas Aircraft company. It was announced this week by T. E. Springer, vice-president-general manager of the company's El Segundo division.

If you want classified results call FA. 8-2345.

Fuchsia Club Garden Tips

Lomita Fuchsia society met last week to hear R. Sandford Martin of Glendale speak on "Soil Building and Compost Making." Members and guests carried home many valuable tips to be used in their own gardens.

Twenty members and 14 guests were present.

Birthday plants went to Zola Larson and Connie Ellorlaga.

New members to join were Mr. and Mrs. Verne Larson.

A nominating committee was elected to appoint candidates for new officers. The nominating committee consists of: Kermit Gluth, chairman; John Slaughter, Ella Stiles, Francis Alonge and Olive Frey.

Election of new officers will be held at the July 20 meeting, at 8 p.m. at the Legion hall, 24702 Narbonne.

Speaker of the next meeting will be Alberta Logue, from Long Beach. Her topic will be "driftwood."

Mr. and Mrs. John Slaughter entertained the committee members at a potluck dinner on their patio this week. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Eipper, Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Gluth, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Frey, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Young, Mary Shurgot, Pearl Riggles, Francis Alonge, Al Stubbs, Ruth Slack and Ella Stiles.

The next committee meeting will be held July 18 at 7 p.m. at the home of Ruth Slack, 2364 West 230th street.

Missing—One Flag

Flag day is for flying flags, not taking them.

Patriotism cost Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Kroehl of 4704 Min-dora, a flag recently.

The Kroehls had hung out the flag on flag day but by 2 o'clock in the afternoon, someone had taken it.

The flag had recently been purchased through the Dale Carnegie club of which Kroehl is governor of district No. 4 and division No. 5. He initiated the flag selling idea to raise money for the Leroy Boys Home.

DID YOU KNOW that the classified ads of the Torrance Press are one of the most valuable parts of the paper? Whether you want to sell, trade, buy, or even want a baby sitter for evening, classified there for you. Read and advertise, won't you? You won't be sorry! Phone FA. 8-2345.

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Who Would Gain From A Five-Year, No-Strike Agreement in Steel?

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EVERYONE would stand to gain from the new five-year, no-strike contract offered by the undersigned steel companies to the United Steelworkers of America — the employees themselves, the steel companies, the consumers of steel, the suppliers who sell to steel companies, and the nation as a whole.

The Union, in its collective bargaining, has always stressed the need for employee security — financial security against old age, sickness and layoffs. All of these are covered in the companies' proposals. But the steel companies go even further . . . they offer the workers security — for a five year period — against loss of pay in costly strikes. In the 1952 strike alone, steelworkers lost a staggering \$450 million in wages — more than \$700 apiece.

Would Give Security Against Higher Living Costs

The proposed agreement would give workers security against possible rising living costs by providing compensation for cost-of-living increases which may occur during the life of the contract.

The proposed agreement would provide workers with greatly increased financial security in case of layoffs. The companies would do this by supplementing state unemployment compensation for as much as a whole year.

The proposed contract would afford still further security through increased insurance, hospitalization and pensions.

And, finally, it would provide a pay raise every year for five years.

The companies' offer covers wage increases and additional fringe benefits for workers over the next five years, amounting, by the end of that period, to a total increase of employment costs of 65 cents per hour worked. Of this sum, 17½ cents would be incurred in the first year.

And the peace and stability produced by such a five-year agreement would be a boon to the entire country.

Families Would Be Free from Strike Worries

Steelworkers' families would no longer have to worry about the possibility of a costly strike every summer. Workers would feel freer to commit themselves to the purchase of many things for which they have to plan ahead and save money.

A new home, college for the youngsters, more new household appliances — all would be easier to buy when the steelworkers' families could be sure of no strikes and a bigger paycheck every year. And steelworkers, whose average weekly earnings exceed \$100, are already among the highest paid industrial workers in America.

It took confidence in the future on the part of the steel companies to offer a pay raise every year for the next five years, together with other benefits. But the companies also would gain from a five-year agreement, just as the steelworkers and their families would.

Big Expansion Program Would be Helped

The companies could proceed with even greater confidence with their expansion programs which will create thousands of new jobs. They would benefit by the many economies of steady produc-

tion uninterrupted by strikes. With a five-year agreement, individual steel companies could better gear production to the normal demands of their customers.

There also would be substantial benefits from a five-year agreement for the steel industry's many thousands of customers and suppliers. The customers no longer would have to build up inventories every spring for fear of a strike. Customers and suppliers alike could plan ahead and provide jobs in their plants on the basis of steady, uninterrupted steel production.

Five years of peace in the steel industry would be a blessing to every American. Individuals, families, companies — big and little — could best plan and build and progress with confidence in an atmosphere of industrial peace.

In the box below is a digest of the companies' proposals and the dates when they would become effective.

EFFECTIVE DATES FOR PROPOSED IMPROVEMENTS	
1956	years of service to 1½ weeks and increase vacation pay of employees with 10 to 15 years of service to 2½ weeks.
July 1 — A direct wage increase averaging 7.3 cents an hour.	July 1 — A direct wage increase averaging 7.3 cents an hour.
July 1 — Advance all job class 1 employees to job class 2 with a consequent additional increase of 6 cents an hour for these employees.	July 1 — Increase shift premiums to 7 cents for afternoon shift and 10 cents for night shift.
July 1 — Establish Supplemental Unemployment Benefit fund with company contributions of 5 cents an hour per employee per hour worked, to provide up to 52 weeks of layoff benefits for workers with 3 or more years of service.	1959
November 1 — Establish improved insurance program.	July 1 — A direct wage increase averaging 7.3 cents an hour.
1957	July 1 — Establish new premium for Sunday work equal to night shift premium.
July 1 — A direct wage increase averaging 7.3 cents an hour.	July 1 — Make up pay lost due to jury service.
July 1 — Add a seventh paid holiday.	1960
November 1 — Increase minimum pensions for employees retiring on or after this date.	July 1 — A direct wage increase averaging 7.3 cents an hour.
1958	July 1 — Increase shift premiums to 8 cents for afternoon shift and 12 cents for night shift.
January 1 — Increase vacation pay of employees with 3 to 5	July 1 — Increase premium for Sunday work accordingly.

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In addition, the proposals would provide compensation for cost of living increases which may occur during the life of the contract.

- United States Steel Corporation • Bethlehem Pacific Coast Steel Company • Republic Steel Corporation
- Jones & Laughlin Steel Corporation • Youngstown Steel & Tube Company • Inland Steel Company • Great Lakes Steel Corporation
- Colorado Fuel & Iron Corporation • Wheeling Steel Corporation • Pittsburg Steel Company • Allegheny Ludlum Steel Corporation